



IT
WASN'T
UNTIL
AFTER I
GAINED
THOSE
POWERS
THAT I
FINALLY
REALIZED

BUT
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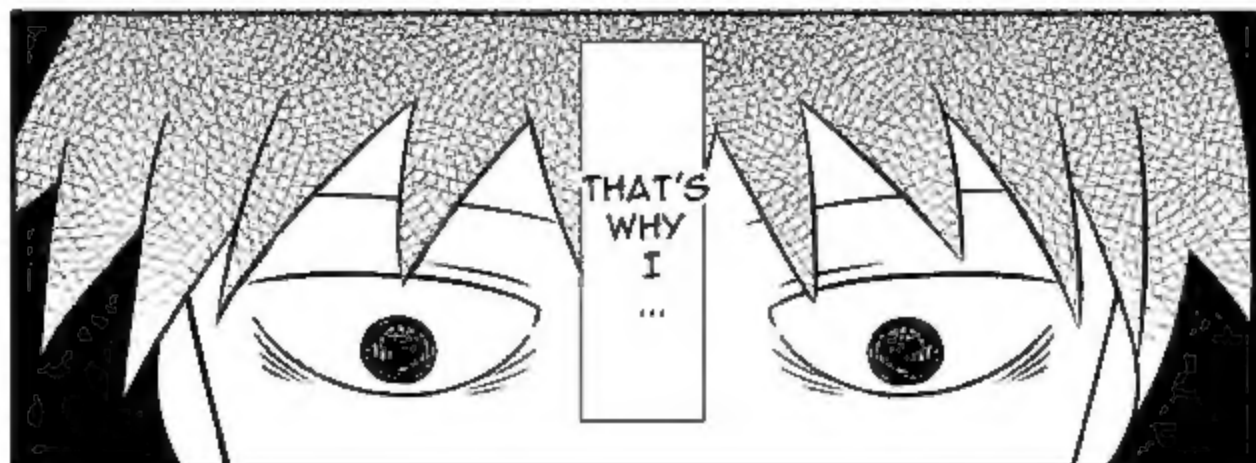


I
ALWAYS
THOUGHT
WHAT I
WANTED
WAS TO
HAVE
PSYCHIC
POWERS.

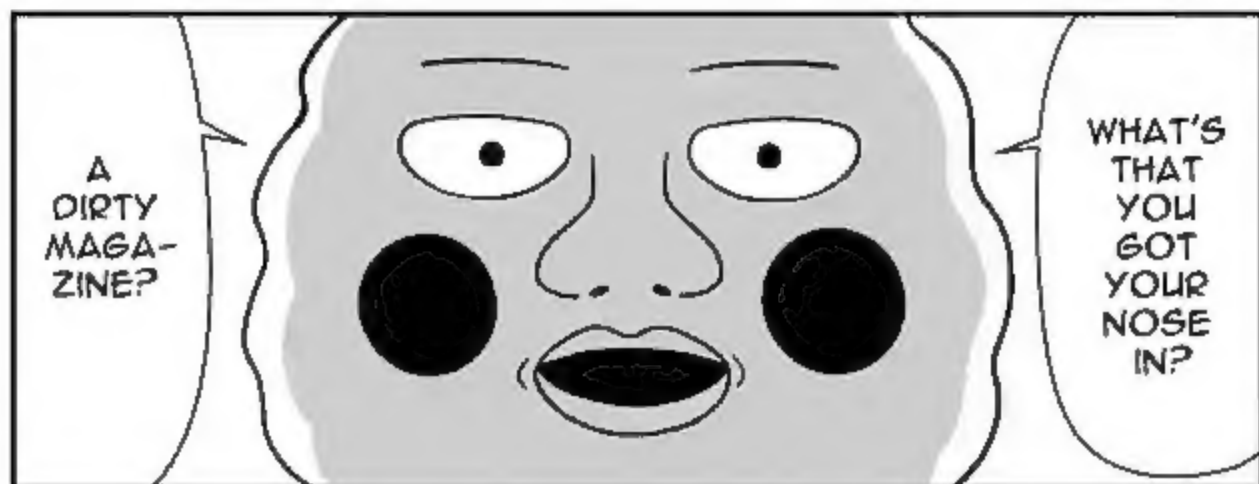


WHAT I
REALLY
WANTED
WAS TO
LEAD
THAT SORT
OF SIMPLE
AND
EARNEST
LIFESTYLE.

TO WORK
HARD,
STRUGGLE,
SHED
SWEAT AND
TEARS...
ALL FOR
THE SAKE
OF LIVING A
FULFILLING
LIFE...



THAT'S
WHY I
...





SO...
I WANT TO
LEARN TO
USE MY
POWERS
IN A WAY
THAT
WORKS
BEST
FOR ME.



HMM.



IT'S
TRUE
THAT
RITSU'S
PSYCHIC
ABILITIES
ARE
STILL
UN-
POLISHED.

HE DOESN'T
HAVE MUCH
STRENGTH,
AND HE STILL
STRUGGLES
WITH
CONTROL-
LING
HIS POWER.
COMPARED
TO SHIGEO,
THEY'RE LIKE
NIGHT AND
DAY...

IF THIS
IS ALL
I CAN DO,
THEN I
MIGHT
AS WELL
BE DEAD
WEIGHT.

IT
TAKES
ALL I
HAVE
JUST
TO
PROTECT
MYSELF
...

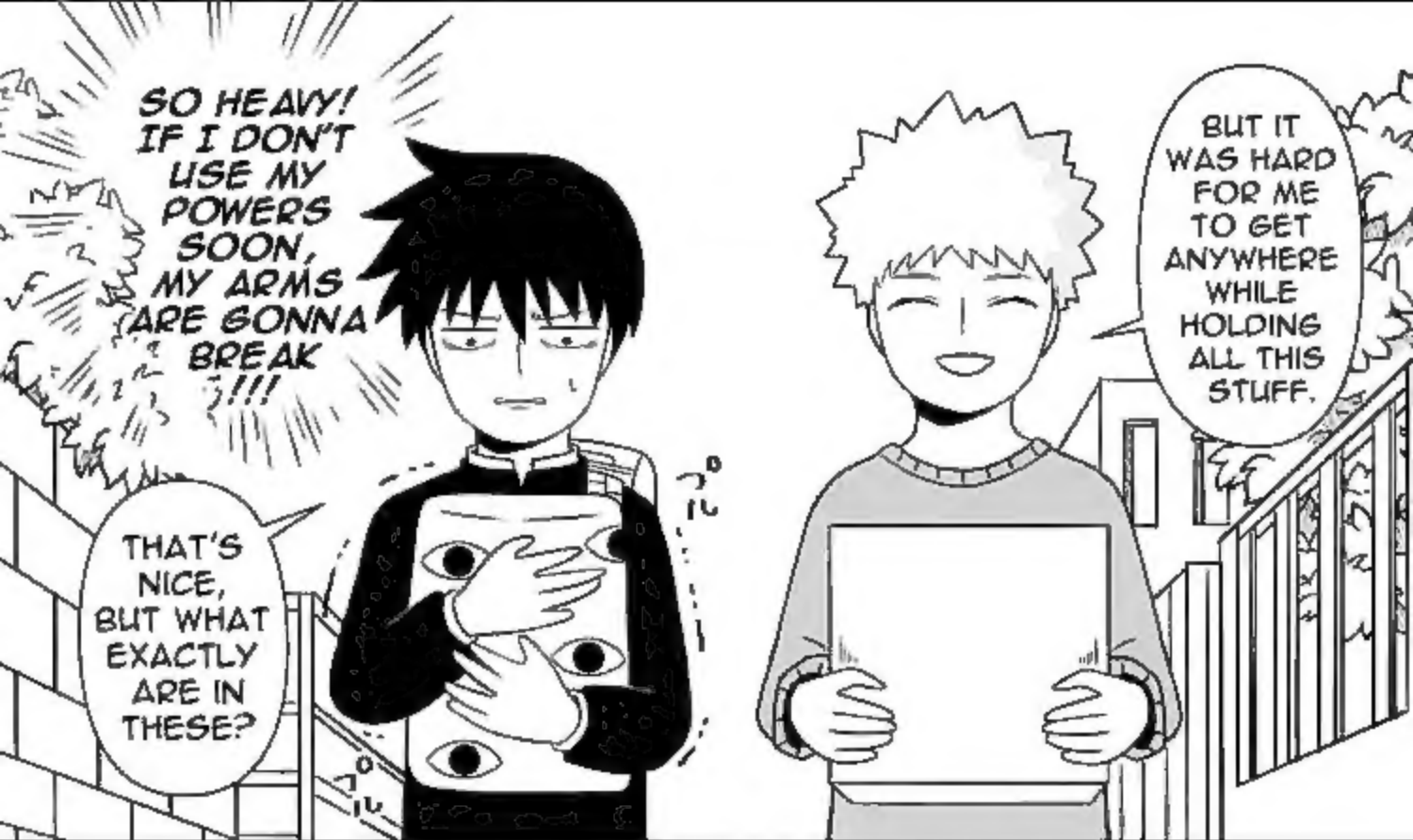
BUT I
HAVEN'T
BEEN
ABLE
TO WIN
AGAINST
ANOTHER
ESPER
BY
MYSELF.
NOT
EVEN
ONCE.

UP UNTIL
NOW, ALL
I DID
WITH MY
POWERS
WAS
THROW
THEM
AROUND
AS MUCH
AS I
COULD.









I
DON'T
WANT
TO
RELY
ON MY
POWERS
TO
LIVE.



BUT
YOU'RE
TRYING
TO
STRENGTHEN
YOUR
ABILITIES?
...IT'S
LIKE
YOU'RE
WORKING
AGAINST
YOUR-
SELF.



I
WANT
TO
RELY
MORE
ON MY
OWN
BODY
RATHER
THAN
MY
POW-
ERS.

AT
LEAST,
AS
LONG
AS
EVERY-
THING
IS
PEACE-
FUL
LIKE IT
IS
NOW...



ALSO
...

PSYCHIC
POWERS
ARE
NOTHING
BUT A
METHOD OF
SELF-DEFENSE
IN
EMERGENCY
SITUATIONS

I'M
MAKING
SURE
I KNOW
WHERE TO
DRAW THE
LINE WHEN
USING
THEM.





ALL THAT
STUFF
ABOUT
PSYCHIC
POWERS
WAS
JUST
ON THE
SIDE
!!

YOU
JUST
WANT
TO
WORK
OUT,
DON'T
YOU?!

I WANT TO
STRENGTHEN
MY MUSCLES
TOO, SO
IT'S LIKE
KILLING TWO
BIRDS WITH
ONE STONE!

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HERE.
THANKS
FOR
HELPING
ME
OUT.

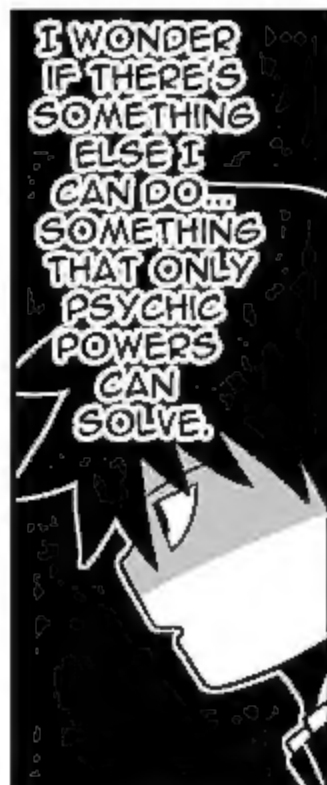
EVEN
IF OUR
METHODS
DIFFER,
MY GOAL
OF
GETTING
STRONGER
IS THE
SAME AS
YOURS.



PLEASE
TAKE
IT.

THAT'S
A
SYMBOL
OF MY
THANKS.

IT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE TO ME...





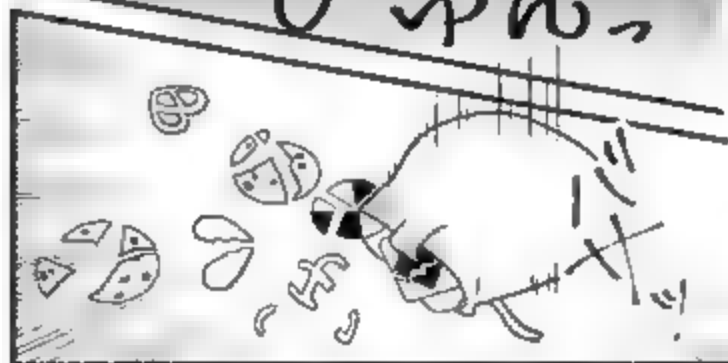
I'LL
FOCUS
MY ENERGY
INTO THIS
SPOON,
AND
SEARCH
IN THE
DIRECTION
IT BENDS
IN...



MAYBE
I CAN
DOWSE
FOR
IT
WITH
A
SPOON!



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THAT
DOESN'T
MEAN
YOU
CAN
PICK
THEM
BACK UP,
OKAY?!



LOOK
WHAT YOU
DID! THOSE
POOR
CANDIES
ARE
GONNA
GO TO
WASTE
NOW!

I'M
BEING
COM-
PLETELY
SERIOUS
RIGHT
NOW!

HEY,
RITSU!
CAN'T YOU
SEARCH
A LITTLE
MORE
SERIOUS-
LY?









YOU SHOULD GO ON HOME BEFORE IT GETS DARK, TOO.



OH, MOB'S CLUB ACTIVITIES SHOULD BE OVER SOON...

I SHOULD HEAD BACK TO THE OFFICE.



...THIS DOESN'T FEEL RIGHT.

POWERS
THAT
GIVE
ME SO
MUCH
TROUBLE
...

I JUST
WANTED
TO LEARN
HOW TO
CONTROL
THESE
FINICKY

BUT
DESPITE
ALL
THAT...

I
JUST
WANT-
ED TO
USE MY
POW-
ERS!

THIS
ISN'T
WHAT
I
WANT-
ED TO
DO.

WHAT DO
YOU MEAN
BY "SOMEHOW"?
ACTING
HEADSTRONG
WON'T GET
YOU
ANYWHERE.

PSYCHIC
POWERS
AREN'T
SOMETHING
THAT YOU
NEED
IN ORDER
TO LIVE.

YOU'LL
JUST
GET IN
THE WAY.
...
SORRY.

WHAT
GOOD
CAN YOUR
BROTHER
DO FOR US?

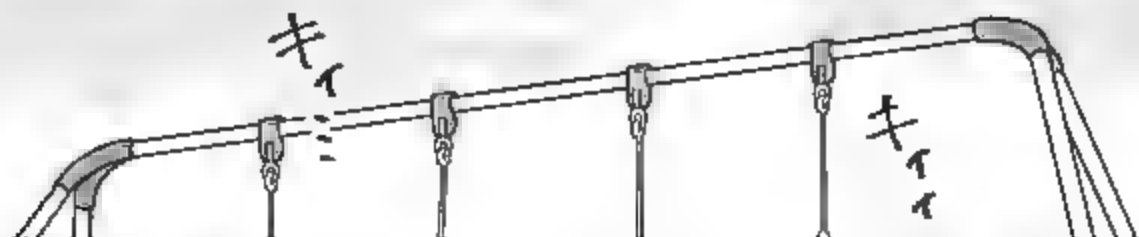
DON'T
DEPEND
ON YOUR
POWERS
TO LIVE.





I
STILL
CAN'T
DO
ANY-
THING
...

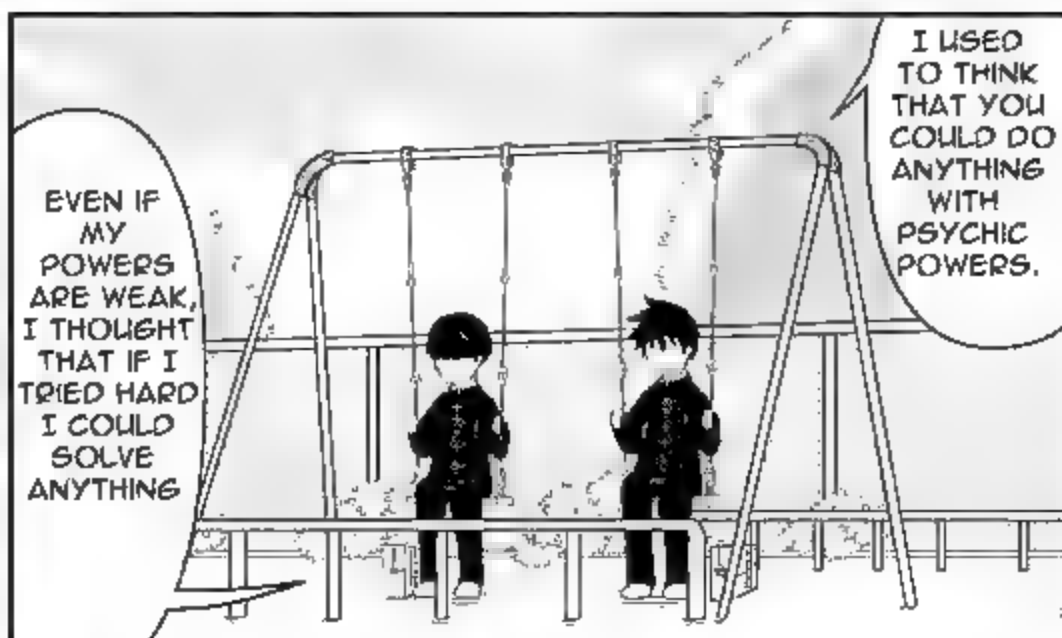
NOTH-
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THERE
WAS
NOTH-
ING
TO
ME.

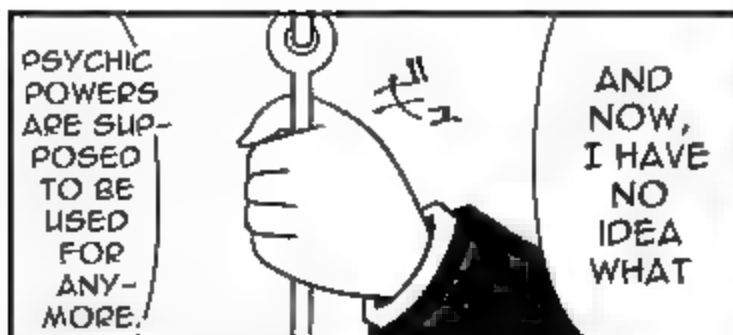


BUT
I
WAS
WRONG

EVEN IF
MY
POWERS
ARE WEAK,
I THOUGHT
THAT IF I
TRIED HARD
I COULD
SOLVE
ANYTHING

I USED
TO THINK
THAT YOU
COULD DO
ANYTHING
WITH
PSYCHIC
POWERS.

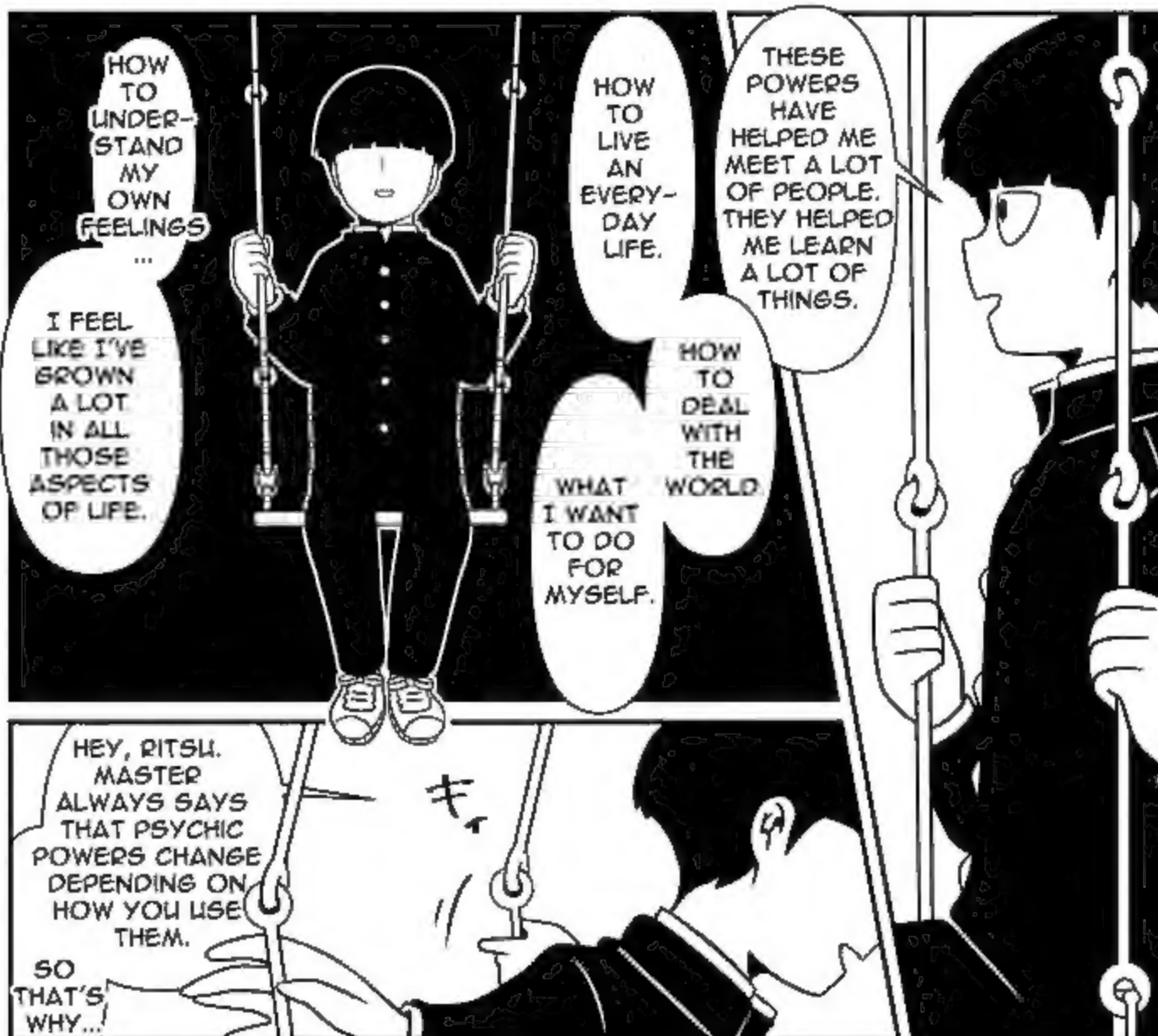








THERE WAS A TIME WHEN I COULDN'T CONTROL MY POWERS, SO I UNDERSTAND.



HOW TO LIVE AN EVERYDAY LIFE.

THESE POWERS HAVE HELPED ME MEET A LOT OF PEOPLE. THEY HELPED ME LEARN A LOT OF THINGS.

HOW TO DEAL WITH THE WORLD.

WHAT I WANT TO DO FOR MYSELF.

HEY, RITSU. MASTER ALWAYS SAYS THAT PSYCHIC POWERS CHANGE DEPENDING ON HOW YOU USE THEM.

SO THAT'S WHY...

